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Title:	DATA SYNCHRONIZATION MECHANISM FOR INFORMATION BROWSING			
	SYSTEMS			

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I, JAMES D. IVEY, certify that this Paper and the enclosed Transmittal Letter (PTO/SB/21), Reasons In Support of Request for Pre-Appeal Conference, Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review (PTO/SB/33), Petition for the Extension of Time (PTO/SB/22), Fee Transmittal (PTO/SB/17), credit card payment form, and return postcard, are being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail addressed to: Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on December 28, 2005.

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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated July 28, 2005 of the Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1-11. A payment in the amount of \$250 is enclosed for the requisite fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b).

In addition, Applicants hereby respectfully request a pre-appeal conference to allow the Office to reconsider the merits of this case.

If the Examiner has any questions or comments with respect to the present application, the Examiner is respectfully invited to telephone the undersigned at (510) 336-1100.

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